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Title: LANDSCAPING CHANNEL
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(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

1. ☒ **Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)**
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
 2. ☒ **Applicant claims small entity status.**
See 37 CFR 1.27.
 3. ☒ **Specification** [Total Pages 15]
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
 4. ☒ **Informal Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 5]**
 5. ☒ **Oath or Declaration** [Total Pages 3]
 - a. ☒ **Informal Copy**
 - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
 6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76
 7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
 8. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
 - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. ☐ paper
 - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies
- ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**
9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
 10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney (when there is an assignee)
 11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
 12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS Citations Statement (IDS)/PTO-1149
 13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
 14. ☒ **Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)**
(Should be specifically itemized)
 15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
 16. ☐ Nonpublication Request Under 35 U.S.C. 12(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
 17. ☒ **Other:** Check for \$375.00

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☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No.: __/ __
Prior application information: Examiner: _____ Group/Art Unit: _____

For CONTINUATION OR DIVISIONAL APPLICATIONS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.



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2. ☒ **Check** ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

FEE CALCULATION

1. Basic Filing Fee:

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	\$750.00	2001	\$375.00	Utility Filing Fee	375.00
1006	\$750.00	2006	\$375.00	Utility Filing Fee (CPA)	
1002	\$330.00	2002	\$165.00	Design Filing Fee	
1007	\$330.00	2007	\$165.00	Design Filing Fee (CPA)	
1003	\$520.00	2003	\$260.00	Plant Filing Fee	
1004	\$750.00	2004	\$375.00	Reissue Filing Fee	
1005	\$160.00	2005	\$80.00	Provisional Filing Fee	
				SUBTOTAL (1)	375.00

2. Extra Claim Fees:

			Extra Claims		Fee from Below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	18	-20**=	0	x	9.00	0.00
Independent Claims	3	- 3**=	0	x	42.00	0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim						0.00
					SUBTOTAL (2)	0.00

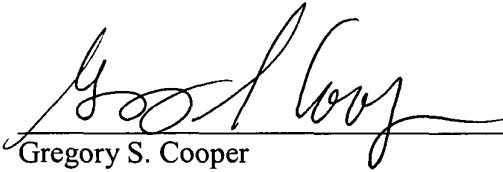
Large Fee Code	Entity Fee	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee	Fee Description
1202	\$18.00	2202	\$9.00	Claims in excess of 20
1201	\$84.00	2201	\$42.00	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	\$280.00	2203	\$140.00	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid
1204	\$84.00	2204	\$42.00	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	\$18.00	2205	\$9.00	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

** or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above. For multiple dependent claims, pay fee only once no matter how many multiple dependent claims you have.

3. Additional Fees:

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	\$130.00	2051	\$65.00	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	\$50.00	2052	\$25.00	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	\$130.00	1053	\$130.00	Non-English specification	
1812	\$2,520.00	1812	\$2,520.00	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	\$920.00*	1804	\$920.00*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	\$1,840.00*	1805	\$1,840.00*	Requesting publication of SIR after to	

				Examiner action	
1251	\$110.00	2251	\$55.00	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	\$410.00	2252	\$205.00	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	\$930.00	2253	\$465.00	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	\$1,450.00	2254	\$725.00	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	\$1,970.00	2255	\$985.00	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	\$320.00	2401	\$160.00	Notice of Appeal	
1402	\$320.00	2402	\$160.00	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	\$280.00	2403	\$140.00	Request for oral hearing	
1451	\$1,510.00	1451	\$1,510.00	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	\$110.00	2452	\$55.00	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	\$1,300.00	2453	\$650.00	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	\$1,300.00	2501	\$650.00	Utility issue fee	
1502	\$470.00	2502	\$235.00	Design issue fee	
1503	\$630.00	2503	\$315.00	Plant issue fee	
1504	\$300.00	1504	\$300.00	Publication Fee for early, voluntary, or normal Publication	
1460	\$130.00	1460	\$130.00	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	\$50.00	1807	\$50.00	Processing fee for provisional applications	
1806	\$180.00	1806	\$180.00	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
8021	\$40.00	8021	\$40.00	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	\$750.00	2809	\$375.00	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	\$750.00	2810	\$375.00	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	\$750.00	2801	\$375.00	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	\$900.00	1802	\$900.00	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify): _____					
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid				SUBTOTAL (3)	0.00


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